

APPENDIX B
PENDING CLAIMS

6. An isolated nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:31 or 56.
8. An isolated nucleic acid molecule encoding a polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO:6.
12. An isolated nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleotide sequence which is complementary to the nucleotide sequence of the nucleic acid molecule of any one of claims 6 or 8.
13. An isolated nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleic acid molecule of any one of claims 6 or 8, and a nucleotide sequence encoding a heterologous polypeptide.
14. An isolated nucleic acid molecule of claims 6 or 8, wherein said nucleic acid molecule is operably linked to at least one expression control sequence.
15. A process for producing a protein encoded by the nucleic acid molecule of claim 14, which comprises:
 - (a) growing a culture of a host cell transformed with a vector comprising the polynucleotide of claim 14 in a suitable culture medium; and
 - (b) purifying said protein from the culture.
16. A vector comprising the nucleic acid molecule of any one of claims 6 or 8.
17. The vector of claim 16, which is an expression vector.
18. A host cell transfected with the expression vector of claim 16.